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BARNEY'S SEAT IS IN DANGER

Madison, Wis., May 7.—The spring shooting bill was killed in the assembly this morning by a vote of 53 to 28 after a spirited debate. It sought to repeal the law prohibiting shooting in the spring.

The assembly refused by a vote of 60 to 15 to pass the bill licensing private detectives over the governor's veto.

The senate and assembly locked horns over the McGillivray anti-trust bill. The senate passed this under suspension of rules while its author was in the chair as a joke and it was messaged over to the assembly before a motion to reconsider was made. Today the senate voted to recall the bill but the assembly refused to give it up holding it as a club.

The final adjournment question was put over this time until tomorrow. Whether or not the legislature gets through this week depends largely upon the congressional apportionment which will be taken up this afternoon.

The bill cutting off fees in the state university excepting the law department passed the senate 19 to 8.

The Andrews bill giving local boards of assessment of cities and villages the right to assess the property of street railway companies instead of having them pay a state license fee was killed in the assembly 37 to 35.

BARNEY IS LEGISLATED OUT.

Joint Committee at Madison Fixes
the Congressional Districts.

Madison, Wis., May 7.—The apportionment committee met last evening to take up the congressional districts before the meeting the apportionment was practically agreed upon, the plan approved being that prepared by Senator Mills. The districts are made up as follows:

First—Bellevue, Kenosha, Walworth, Rock Green and Lafayette counties; population, 191,491.

Second—Dane, Columbia, Jefferson, Adams, Marquette and Green Lake; population, 172,792.

Third—Juno, Sauk, Iowa, Grant, Richland, Crawford and Vernon; population, 180,750.

Fourth—Southern part of Milwaukee; population, 184,134.

Fifth—Northern part of Milwaukee and Waukesha; population, 184,114.

Sixth—Dodge, Fond du Lac, Sheboygan, Washington and Ozaukee; population, 184,508.

Seventh—Manitowish, Calumet, Winnebago, Waubesa, Waupaca and Portage; population, 193,632.

Eighth—Outagamie, Brown, Kewaunee, Door, Marinette and Oconto; population, 179,067.

Ninth—Florence, Forest, Langlade, Shawano, Marathon, Wood, Taylor, Price, Lincoln, Oneida, Vilas, Iron and Ashland; population, 190,975.

Tenth—Douglas, Bayfield, Burnett, Washburn, Sawyer, Polk, Barron, Clark, Pepin, Dunn, St. Croix and Pierce; population, 217,650.

Eleventh—Clark, Eau Claire, Jackson, Monroe, La Crosse, Trempealeau, Buffalo and Pepin; population, 193,900.

After the session last evening the committee spent nearly an hour discussing the districts and adjourned till four o'clock today without reaching a formal decision. Congressmen Barney, who is legislated out of office by the bill agreed on in caucus, arrived last evening and may be given a hearing sometime this afternoon. It is practically certain however, that the apportionment as planned will be adopted.

DELAY FOR AN ADJOURNMENT.

Another Dead Lock in Sight Over the
Congressional District Bill.

Madison, Wis., May 7.—Adjournment will not possibly be taken before Wednesday and probably not before the latter end of next week. The adjournment resolution was laid over until Wednesday. If an adjournment were to be taken on Saturday, work would have to cease on Wednesday night, as the governor must be allowed three days in which to examine bills.

The senatorial bill was signed by the governor yesterday and the primary election bill went to him this morning, but all hope of an adjournment this week fled when the special committee on apportionment failed to reach an agreement last night, and on the contrary showed signs of another deadlock.

The governor will have until Friday morning in which to consider the primary election bill, but the impression here prevails that he has a veto message on the subject mapped already. It was thought with those two things out of the way

that there might be an adjournment on Saturday, but even if the congressional apportionment were not in the way, the legislature could scarcely clear the decks by Wednesday night.

NEW BOOK KEEPING SYSTEM.

Special Committee on State Accounting Submit Report to Both Houses
Madison, Wis., May 7.—The special committee on state accounting submitted its report in both houses last night. Accompanying the report was a bill directing the governor to carry out so far as possible the system adopted by the special commissioner created by the legislature two years ago.

The state affairs committee introduced in the senate a new bill, repealing the law of 1898 combining the state land office with that of the secretary of state's department. The new bill provides that the two departments be continued separately as heretofore, and that the expenses of the land office shall not exceed \$6,500 a year.

Senator Roehr's resolution providing for a consolidation of the city and county governments of Milwaukee, thus saving the people of the state metropolis much expense and reducing taxes was killed by the assembly yesterday afternoon.

The Brunson bill authorizing the state railroad commissioner to promulgate a reasonable schedule of freight and passenger rates was on the calendar for indefinite postponement, but on the motion of Mr. Coe the committee recommended that it be ordered engrossed and read a third time.

The fish and game bill was up for advancement and a number of amendments were considered. The first amendment taken up was one by Mr. Karel objecting to an entirely closed season for quail.

Mr. Zinn spoke against the amendment and said that if it was adopted quail would soon be exterminated. Mr. Dahl said that the hunters of the western part of the state wanted the quail protected. The amendment was killed.

WILL PARDON THE YOUNGER BROTHERS

Release of the Famous Northfield
Bank Robbers Will Be Effected.
Under Law Recently Passed.

St. Paul, May 7.—Coe and James Younger, serving life sentences at Stillwater, will be paroled by the board of prison managers at a meeting to be held today. It is stated that the action of the board will be unanimous. The younger brothers have been in Stillwater since 1876 for the Northfield bank robbery and the murder committed during the process of the raid.

The action will be taken under the authority of the law passed at the last session of the legislature. Before the parole becomes effective it must be approved in writing by all of the members of the board of pardons, Governor Van Sant, Attorney General Douglass and Chief Justice Start.

A STREET RAILWAY STRIKE AT ALBANY

Albany, N. Y., May 7.—All of the street railway car lines in this city are tied up by a strike of eight hundred employees who want the entire system unionized and twenty cents an hour.

TOBACCO HOUSE GOES TO SPARTA

High Prices Asked for a Site Scared
the American Cigar Company
Out of Janesville.

The Milwaukee Sentinel of this city this morning contains the following: "The representatives of the American Cigar Company arrived in Sparta today and located a permanent tobacco factory. The plant will consist of three large buildings, with a capacity of 23,000 cases, and is to cost \$40,000. Six hundred hands are to be employed. The city furnishes the site."

This is the same plant that was looking for a location in this city some time ago, but on account of the high price demanded by people for the land on which to erect their buildings they had to look for another location.

Well-Known Actors Dead.

New York, May 7.—John D. Germon, aged 61 years, a well-known actor of the old school, who had been assistant stage manager of the American theater for some time, died here of blood poisoning. His death was due to the explosion of a magnesia lamp, a piece of brass tubing being driven into his foot.

Scranton, Pa., May 7.—Leonard S. Outram, aged 40 years, a member of E. H. Sothern's company, was found dead at the home of his brother-in-law, James Paul, in Carbondale, where he had gone to visit.

MESSAGE DIRECT FROM SIAM; UNIQUE AND STRANGE COUNTRY

Interesting Information About That Far Away Land,
Given by Rev. Dr. Thomas, a Returned Mission-
ary, at Presbyterian Church Last Night.

Those who neglected to hear Dr. Thomas, the returned medical missionary from Siam, lecture at the Presbyterian church last evening, missed an educational opportunity which does not come frequently. His address was full of unique and valuable information and the usual missionary flavor was kept in the background. Dr. Thomas evidently relying on his story of the people among whom he labors to force home the missionary lesson in a quiet way.

This method was wisely chosen for the information which he brought was wholly new to his hearers. Laos, the northern country in Siam, is comparatively unknown to Americans and as the Presbyterian church is the only one having missions in Siam, the churches in this country seldom hear a message direct from Siam. Indeed Dr. Thomas opened his talk last evening with an amusing account of the confused ideas which people in this country have concerning the situation of Siam, many speaking to him of his work in China and India when he has never been in either country.

In a conversation with three professors at the University of Wisconsin he found that one thought that Siam was a Dutch republic, another that it was a small island in the Pacific ocean and a third that it was a kingdom under the control of France. Now whenever he gives a talk he insists on the use of maps so that he can show that Siam is in the southeastern corner of Asia, south of China, and east of India and Burma.

Bangkok, the capital, is a city of 500,000 population, 100,000 of whom are Chinese. 100,000 of the population live in boats and many children born on boats grow to maturity without touching foot to soil. Laos is in the northern part of Siam and four million people speak the Laos language, while two millions speak only Siamese. There are six missionary stations and forty missionaries in Laos.

When Dr. Thomas and wife made their first trip up the Menam river from Bangkok to their station seven years ago they lived for forty days in a cabin six feet cube in the stern of the regulation boat which is thirty feet long and six feet wide. The people are of the Malay or brown race and are dirty, filthy and undersized. Children up to seven years go stark naked; women wear a single scant skirt, striped in yellow and brown, except on great temple days when a gay scarf is added; men wear a single brown garment made peculiarly and the Buddhist priests clothe themselves in a yellow cotton robe made of seven pieces. In lower Siam the men and women dress alike, but not in Laos.

The people live on rice, the food of more than one-half of the people of the world. Buffaloes draw the crude plows and the rice is cultivated exactly as it was in Bible times and is cooked by steaming. Buddhism forbids the killing of animals so the people wait for meat until the animals die, no matter what the disease. When they have no meat a curry is made by pounding fat beetles and bugs, green leaves and red peppers together in a mortar and cooking the mixture. This and rice forms the three meals every day in the year.

It is a land of Buddhism, the boys and men only are permitted to be educated in the temple and women grow up in ignorance. Babies less than a year old are taught by their mothers to bow to the idols. As Dr. Thomas told how for seven months every house in the village was closed against him and then opened to him again through his medical services there were tears in his eyes and those of his hearers. In two instances he saved the lives of children who, even to him, seemed dying and thus found his way into the hearts of the people. One child was the grandson of the governor of Prah, who had been very bitter against the missionaries; the other was only two years old and had fallen on a sharp knife which had penetrated the abdomen. The mother wrapped a dirty cloth around the child and carried it nearly two miles to the hospital where the doctor gave it surgical attention believing all the time that the child must die. If the children had died it would probably have made the people very hostile toward him.

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GUIDE BOARDS ON THE CROSS ROADS

Second Notice Served on Chairmen of
Town Boards To Have Them
Up by July First.

Last fall the Good Roads committee served notice on the various town boards to put guide boards at all of the cross roads. A few of them have done so but the majority of our roads have none. The committee have served a second notice on the chairmen of the several towns, and if sign or guide boards are not up by July 1st, will claim the reward, which is five dollars in each case. The amount which will run up to considerable, will be used to maintain bicycle paths between this and other towns in Rock county. The move is a good one as nothing is more annoying to go a mile or so on the wrong road. The state laws provide that any chairman of a town board who does not put up guide boards after being notified, shall pay a fine of five dollars, half of which goes to the party making the complaint and the other half to the school fund.

LEAF TOBACCO MEN ARE IN SESSION

Name of the Organization is Changed—
Present Plan of Firm Member-
ship Endorsed—Officers.

New York, May 7.—The Cigar Leaf Tobacco Board of Trade of the United States began its third annual convention here today. The name of the organization was changed to the National Cigar Leaf Tobacco association. A revised constitution, retaining the present plan of firm membership, was adopted after a contest. The following officers were elected: President—John R. Young of Philadelphia. Vice president—Joseph L. Friedman of Chicago. Secretary—Walter G. Wilson of Philadelphia. Treasurer—J. Schuster of Milwaukee.

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PRESIDENT REACHES ARIZONA TERRITORY

Short Stops Made in Many Towns in
That Country—The Reception at
Los Angeles, Calif., Tomorrow.

Phoenix, Ariz., May 7.—After an all night ride through alkali and cactus lands the presidential train arrived here early this morning. During the run from El Paso a five minute stop was made at Deming, N. M., Benson, Tucson, Maricopa, Ariz. The train leaves here tonight and will enter California tomorrow morning. Redlands being the first stop. Los Angeles will also be made that day. In the latter city an elaborate welcome is planned.

The people of New Mexico took advantage of the president's visit to urge that the territory be made a state. In a speech at El Paso President McKinley declared imperialism to be impossible.

PRAISES SCHOOLS AT ISHPERING, MICH.

Richard Hardy Says Superintendent
Mayne Will Have Full Swing
in His Control Up There.

Richard Hardy, representing the Prang Educational company of New York and Chicago, is in the city perfecting arrangements with Prof. W. F. Gaskins for the work which he is to do for the company this summer. Mr. Hardy is one of the former superintendents at Ishpeming, Michigan, and his visit to this city was one of pleasure to Supt. Mayne. Some time ago Mr. Hardy was one of the many who wrote congratulatory letters to Mr. Mayne on his appointment and speaking from his personal knowledge, Mr. Hardy said that the Ishpeming school system is one of the finest in the country and that Mr. Mayne would find himself not only unhampered but aided in all his efforts.

Czar Reviews His Army.

St. Petersburg, May 7.—A huge review of the army was held by the czar this morning. Eighty thousand troops of all branches of the service participated.

BANK PRESIDENT IS GONE.

Disappearance from Cleveland of Robert
N. Pollock Followed by Failures.

Cleveland, May 7.—The Cuyahoga Savings and Banking company has closed its doors because of the disappearance of its president, Robert N. Pollock, who has not been located later than ten days ago, when he left home saying he was going to New York on business. Crowds of working men and women whose savings were in the bank stood sullenly about the doors. The Cuyahoga bank is but one of many financial institutions in which Mr. Pollock was prominent. He was one of the best-known financial promoters of the city, having organized the Federal Trust company, with a capitalization of \$5,000,000, which is just opening for business, and also promoted and organized the Coal and Iron National bank, of which he is a director. Neither of these institutions has shown any sympathetic weakness, but financial circles of the city are uneasy.

AGENT IS WORKING A SMOOTH GAME

Farmers Advised to Keep Their Eyes
Open for a Nursery Man Who
Is Traveling About.

Farmers in the vicinity of Janesville should keep their eyes open for a nursery agent who is working a smooth game on the unsuspecting. The young man goes from farm to farm representing himself as the agent of a nursery firm and makes a leader of small shrubs and vines.

He sells a bill to the farmer and gets a contract form him for the goods, agreeing to deliver them in a short time. A week or so later he appears at the farm with the goods and secures the pay for them, but forgets to deliver the contract the farmer has signed. If asked about it he says the house neglected to send it back, but that he will see that it is returned.

A short time afterwards another agent appears on the scene with another batch of goods and the contract, the farmer signed agreeing to take the plants. The farmer protests that he has already received the goods and paid for them. The second man claims that he goods delivered by the second man are no good and that he had no right to deliver any goods.

He holds the contract and is ready to deliver the goods according to its terms and threatens to commence suit to enforce it if it is not paid. In most cases the farmers have settled with him rather than stand a suit. The goods that the first man delivered are worthless being any old stuff that can be picked up along the road or in the woods. They are tagged and fixed up so that they cannot be told from first class until they are grown up.

This game has been worked quite extensively this spring in the northern part of this county and in Jefferson and Dane counties and in almost every case the farmer has had to pay double for his goods.

DR. KENNEDY AGAIN ON TRIAL

Prisoner Accused of the Murder of
"Dollie" Reynolds.

New York, May 7.—Dr. Samuel J. Kennedy was for the third time placed on trial for his life today, the charge being the murder of "Dollie" Reynolds in the Grand hotel, on Aug. 16, 1899. It is expected that this trial will last about four weeks. No new evidence will be introduced by the prosecution, so far as is known, but it is believed that witnesses who were not called in the previous trials will testify as to Dr. Kennedy's movements on the night of the murder. For the defense counsel say that they have an entirely new witness. Friends have interested themselves in the Kennedy family, and four of them are endeavoring to raise funds to assist in the defense and to provide for Mrs. Kennedy's wants while her husband is in prison.

Boom Trade by Travel.

Kansas City, Mo., May 7.—A special train of eight cars carrying several hundred Kansas City business men has started a trade extension trip through the west and southwest. The baggage car is loaded with advertising matter and the travelers carry for free distribution a little souvenir marked with a wishbone, a horseshoe, four-leafed clover and penny.

New Ministry for Prussia.

Berlin, May 7.—The new ministry is gazetted as follows: Baron Rheinbaben, minister of finance; General Podbielski, minister of agriculture; Baron Von Hammerstein, district president of Metz, minister of the interior; Herr Moller, minister of commerce; Herr Kraetke, director of the imperial post-office, becomes secretary of state of that department.

Oil Struck in Arizona.

Tucson, Ariz., May 7.—There is considerable excitement owing to the discovery of oil at Texas Hill, a desert station on the Southern Pacific, about eight miles east of Yuma. A rush has set in from Tucson, Yuma and mining camps surrounding the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Daverkosen are entertaining Mrs. W. Hilbert of Chicago.

MONEY SOARING ON WALL STREET

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Go Up to Ten
Per Cent.

CURRENCY POURING IN

Country Banks Eager to Take
Advantage of the
High Rate.

NORTHERN PACIFIC ON A BOOM

New York, May 7.—During the speculative fever which raged higher on the stock exchange today than even in the most exciting days of last week the banks advanced the price of all money to 10 per cent, and the average rate throughout the day was from seven to eight per cent. Out-of-town banks are pouring money into New York to lend on call at the attractive rates now prevailing.

The organized effort on the part of the bankers to force stock trading once more into conservative limits was frustrated for the time by the sensational rises in Pacific stock. There was an advance of twenty-three points, and for this there was apparently no reason other than the fact that a large operator was heavily short of stock and was badly squeezed by antagonistic interests led by James R. Keene.

There were persistent rumors to the effect that a combination has been effected between the Northern Pacific and Canadian Pacific which will involve the merger of the two lines, but the story was not generally confirmed.

The stock market was extremely bullish this morning. Union Pacific was a leader in the strength shown and practically the entire list showed gains.

DR. JUDD'S GIFT OF ANIMALS AND BIRDS

The Fine Collection Gathered by His
Father Presented to the High
School Museum.

Dr. W. H. Judd has presented the Janesville high school with a fine collection of animals and birds which makes a valued addition to the museum. Most of the specimens were collected by his father, the late Dr. S. S. Judd, who had a great fondness for the collection of curios and had a large and valuable collection of stuffed animals and birds as souvenirs of his trips in this country and the West Indies.

The central figure of the collection which has been presented to the high school is a leopard which was once a member of the circus family of Burr Robbins of this city. It is of especial value to the high school because of the local story connected with it. Twenty years ago when the circus was in winter quarters in the part of town which is now Spring Brook the leopard and a zebra had a disagreement and in the fight which followed the leopard gave up its life. The specimen shows several marks of the encounter, the chief reminder of the tragedy being the fact that one ear is missing. The leopard has occupied a place of honor in Dr. W. H. Judd's reception office for twenty years and has taken part in many local street parades including the two burlesque circus parades given on the past two Fourth of July.

The collection also includes a parrot which Dr. S. S. Judd procured while visiting Trinidad in the West Indies; a peacock, which is a home production, having been raised by Mr. Shannon of the town of Center and which Dr. Judd has owned for twenty years; a pair of ducks and a pair of prairie chickens.

Mosquitoes Arrive Early.

Norfolk, Va., May 7.—Mosquitoes, never before known to arrive so early, have appeared on Knott's Island, forty miles south of Norfolk, in numbers unprecedented, even for midsummer. Horses and cattle are dying from their poisonous bites.

Crime of Jealous Husband.

Bellefonte, Pa., May 7.—Jesse R. King of near Millheim today shot and fatally wounded his bride of two months, and when an officer attempted to arrest him King shot himself through the heart and died almost instantly.

Few Will See the Sultan.

Constantinople, May 7.—An official circular has been issued notifying the members of the diplomatic corps that in future only distinguished visitors accompanied by a diplomatist will be admitted to the sultan's presence.

MODEL MODERN LIBRARY BUILDING; SOME VERY GOOD SUGGESTIONS

Miss Cornelia Marvin, Instructor of the Wisconsin Free Library Commission, Gives The Gazette Pointers—Three Things Are Emphasized.

Appropos of the recent visit of the library committee of the library board to the library buildings at Oshkosh, Appleton and Menasha, and the active interest which was manifested in these cities in the educational work of the library, the people of this city will be interested in some suggestions from library authorities as to what a model, modern library should contain.

Miss Cornelia Marvin, instructor of the Wisconsin Free Library commission, has very kindly responded to a request from The Gazette for some suggestions on the new building and first of all she says that three things want to be strongly emphasized in a town like Janesville. One is that the library shall be built so that there will be direct, free access to all books, with a possible exception of fiction.

Second—The city being able to employ so little help, it is quite necessary that the library should be built so that one or two people can oversee every department at one time. It would be the greatest mistake to have the books scattered about a building in different rooms when there is no one to direct the reading of them, or to have supervision of the rooms.

Third—it is absolutely essential that you should have some quiet corner for reference work, and that people who are studying should not be constantly interrupted by people coming and going in the reading rooms.

The list of rooms which should be contained in the modern library for a city like Janesville should include a stack room, general delivery room, general reading room, private reading room or class room, open shelf room or rooms, space for the public catalogue, children's reading room, reference room, librarian's room for cataloguing and all work, trustee's room, exhibition halls, lecture room, packing, receiving and shipping room in the basement, cloak room, women's room, private lavatories, toilet rooms, storage space in the basement, janitor's room, bicycle hall.

The following points in regard to library buildings were made by Mr. Soule, of Boston, in a paper before the American Library Association:

A library building should be planned for library work. Every library building should be planned for the kind of work to be done, and the community to be served.

The interior arrangement ought to be planned before the exterior is considered.

No convenience of arrangement should ever be sacrificed for mere architectural effect. The plan should be adopted to probabilities and possibilities of growth and development.

Simplicity of decoration is essential in the working rooms and reading rooms.

A library should be planned with a view to economical administration.

The rooms for public use should be so arranged as to allow complete supervision with the fewest possible attendants.

There should be as much natural light as possible in all parts of the building.

Windows in the book room should be placed opposite the intervals between book cases.

The arrangement of books in tiers or alcoves and galleries around a large hall is considered entirely obsolete.

In circulating libraries the books most in use be shelved in floor cases close to the delivery desk. In the floor cases of a reference library the upper shelves should be narrower than those below, with a ledge about three feet from the floor.

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CAREER AND TALENT OF ROBT. J. BARNES

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Owing to His Natural Talent He Will Become a Professional Entertainer as a Dramatic Reader and on the Lecture Platform—Studies Extend Over Wide Range.

Robert J. Barnes, well known in this city because for six years he was a student at the State School for the Blind and was one of the most interesting members of the school orchestra, will become a professional entertainer, a profession for which his great natural talent and years of conscientious study have admirably fitted him.

During his residence at the school Mr. Barnes studied elocution with Mrs. J. B. Day, who took a great interest in the development of the young man's power. Mr. Barnes is very quick at imitating people whom he meets and has a rare aptitude for imitating people.

He is a witty extemporaneous speaker and was very popular at the school for his entertaining ability. His popularity was increased by his genial disposition and his varied information which makes him an excellent conversationalist and companion.

Will Give Dramatic Readings.

Blind, and with but one arm, a Milwaukee young man, Robert J. Barnes of No. 7 Thirty-Fifth street, graduated on Saturday night from the Columbian School of Oratory of Chicago, says the Milwaukee Sentinel in an article illustrated with an excellent likeness of the talented young man. In connection with his graduation on Saturday night Mr. Barnes took the part of Jacques in Shakespeare's play, "As You Like It," the greater part of the audience not discovering during the whole evening that he young man was blind.

Mr. Barnes intends to earn his living by giving dramatic readings after taking a thorough course in the University of Chicago, and he attended the school of oratory to obtain the necessary preparation. He lost his sight eight years ago as the result of the explosion of a cap containing fulminate of mercury which he secured from the West Milwaukee railway shops. The accident also cost him one arm.

State School for Blind.

He is now 23 years of age. Undismayed by the loss of his eyes and one arm, the young man gave up his ambition to become an electrical engineer and went to the State School for the Blind at Janesville where he stayed four years, graduating about two years ago. While there he mastered the usual arts studied by the blind, and developed the remarkable manual dexterity common to those born without sight.

He studied music at Janesville among the other things, and became an expert on the cornet, playing in the school band. The problem of an occupation became important about the time he left the state school, and after much thought and many conferences with his parents he decided to study the dramatic art, and become a dramatic entertainer. No blind man had ever attempted this before, which probably added fire to the young man's ambition. When he entered the Columbian school everybody there was skeptical of his ability to do the work of the regular course, and in addition helped some of the students who were not as apt as himself. When he graduated Saturday night he stood among the best students of the class, as was shown by his selection to take the part of Jacques in the class play.

Has Studied Extensively.

Notwithstanding his lack of sight and the possession of but one hand, Mr. Barnes has studied mathematics, botany, chemistry, and various other branches of science, which the untitled would suppose require sight and two hands. He is able to go about the most crowded streets alone and at school, both at Janesville and Chicago, the casual visitor did not realize that the young man was blind. Mr. Barnes selected the

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lecture platform as especially adapted to his abilities and taste. Had he two hands he might have selected some other profession, but the fact that he had but one caused him to select what at first blush might seem an almost impossible occupation, but which by study Mr. Barnes finds himself fitted for, and for which he has come to have great enthusiasm.

Notice To Contractors.
Sealed proposals will be received at the office of Evans & Morris, architects, 429 Hayes block, until Wednesday, May 8, 1901, for carpentry work on Janesville Canning Co's. building. Bids to be opened at eight o'clock. The plans and specifications can be seen at above office.

Biliousness is a condition characterized by a disturbance of the digestive organs. The stomach is debilitated, the liver torpid, the bowels constipated. There is a loathing of food, pains in the bowels, dizziness, coated tongue and vomiting, first of the undigested and partly digested food and then of bile. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets allay the disturbance of the stomach and create a healthy appetite. They also tone up the liver to a healthy action and regulate the bowels. Try them and you are certain to be much pleased with the result. For sale by Peoples Drug Store and King's Pharmacy.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

The sale of seats for the return engagement of "The Burgomaster" opened at the Myers Grand today. The play will be presented here Thursday, May 9, and considering the unusual amount of inquiry, and the number of seats that have been ordered by telephone, telegraph, and by letter, this engagement promises to be the most phenomenal both from a financial and artistic standpoint in the history of the theatre.

Coming to the opera house on Saturday next is an attraction the like of which we are told has not been seen on the boards for years. It will be the introduction here of a new star in the theatrical firmament but one who will surely catch on if all signs fall not. The artist is Mr. Al. H. Wilson, a German dialect comedian, who in the comedy drama of "The Watch on the Rhine" will endeavor to please and entertain through the medium of his wonderful singing and his ability as an actor. The play will be sumptuously mounted, handsomely gowned, with effects both mechanical and electrical that will surely startle and satisfy all votaries of the theatre.

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Mercurized Mulls, 30 inch, in lovely foulard styles, beautifully fine, all colors, 30c.

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Linen Gingham, 30 inch, stripe effects in blue, pink, helio, water melon pink, 30c.

Golden Rod Dimity, fine and sheer, in fancies and plain colors, 30 inch, 15c

Percales, 36 inch; one of our great sellers; expect to sell about 1,000 pieces—12½c.

Silk stripe Gingham, fine open work Muslins in dainty styles, Mouseline de Soie silk and cotton, plain and dotted, delicate tints and dark colors—all at 50c.

Lisle Tissue, 30 inch, plain and stripes, large assortment at 25c.

French Percales, 36 inch, unusual value. 20c.

Satin stripe silk warp muslins, evening tints, nothing more dainty, 28 inch, 75c.

Fine Gingham, large variety, 10c, 12½c, 15c. Hardly any desirable summer fabrics that is not represented in our stock—new things every few days.

Curtains.

Spring house cleaning is going on. It reminds many people of the condition of their curtains and in some cases new ones will be a necessity. No better place to get them than at this store. Our curtain and upholstery department is a wonder, considering the size of our city. Lace curtains, heavy curtains or yard goods—you can get anything you want. People have found by experience that they can save money by buying curtains at THE BIG STORE, after looking in the large cities



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Leave medicine alone and drink Buob's pure beer. It will bring color to your cheeks and strength to your body. As pure as beer can be made. Spring water used. Phone us.

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FORTY INJURED IN A WRECK

Burlington Passenger Cars Hurdled
Down an Embankment.

ENGINEER BROWN IS KILLED.

A Passenger Train on the Burlington
Road Collides with a Freight at
Thayer, Iowa—Accident Happens at
Curve—Help from Ottumwa.

Thayer, Ia., May 7.—Over forty persons, several of them Chicagoans, were injured, and one, a trainman, was killed in a collision between Burlington passenger train No. 3, which left Chicago at 11 o'clock p. m., and a freight that was backing into a siding here. A number of those injured were members of the crew of the freight train, who pluckily stuck to their posts until but a few seconds before the trains came together, trying desperately to get the cars out of the way of the passenger train which was sweeping down upon them on a steep grade at high speed. Several cars containing many travelers were hurled down a twenty-foot embankment, and that there was no great loss of life is remarkable.

The casualties were as follows: The dead are: Sidney Brown, engineer of the passenger train, of Burlington. The most seriously injured are: P. Eates, Chicago, back and chest injured; Mrs. T. J. Burk, badly cut on forehead, back hurt; D. O. Campbell, Cleveland, head, shoulders and legs bruised; Mike Canney, fireman, Ottumwa, badly bruised and cut, arm broken; Mary Cherry, LeRoy, Ia., chest and head hurt, serious internal injuries; Walter Crowley, Woodburn, legs badly injured; F. F. Flagg, Chicago, internally injured, serious; Major J. T. Hume, Des Moines, bruised about nose, left eye and right arm; J. D. Johnston, Chicago, bruised; K. Loveland, Chicago, leg and three ribs broken; I. T. McCune, Ottumwa, hurt in stomach and breast; R. B. Mitchell, Weldon, Ia., head and face badly cut; Colonel Olmstead, Des Moines, severely injured; Mrs. Ellis Pixley, West Salem, Ill., internal injuries, serious; W. A. Scott, Chicago, back injured, right leg and foot bruised; Clarence Whitlock, Osceola, Ia., arm broken, internal injuries; Clyde Wilson, Hopeville, Ia., collar bone broken, head and legs bruised and cut.

The town is in the bed of a deep ravine, on the sides of which the track is laid. A heavy train, in order to make schedule time, is compelled to go at full speed down one hill to make the top of the other. This is what the passenger train was doing when the accident occurred. Owing to the fact that both tracks for a great distance are heavily curved neither engineer could see the other train until it was within 200 feet of him. When the crash came the freight engine was thrown across the track and the passenger engine was hurled down the embankment, followed by the baggage and express cars and three chair cars. A relief train with surgeons and nurses was sent from Ottumwa and the injured were promptly cared for.

HUNGRY FED IN JACKSONVILLE.

Florida City. Under Martial Law—Mes-
sage from McKinley.

Jacksonville, Fla., May 7.—The hunger of 10,000 homeless persons was satisfied yesterday upon the arrival of relief trains and boats bringing provisions. A commissary depot was established and thousands were fed. An order was promulgated under martial law requiring all merchants whose stores were spared to open their doors and sell to all who asked.

Three Thousand Leave the City.

It is estimated that 3,000 persons have left the city. Five carloads of tents were received yesterday, and another shipment is expected today. The total property loss is placed at \$11,000,000. Many persons have confirmed the report of loss of life at the Market street wharf.

Martial law is enforced rigidly, and the town is quiet, though anxiety prevails because of threats said to have been made by the negroes that they would obtain provision by force.

Message from the President.

President McKinley sent a message of sympathy to Gov. Jennings, and promised the aid of the government in the relief work. The governor replied, telling of the situation, but saying immediate necessities had been provided for. The local Typographical Union, over one-half of whose membership is homeless, has issued an appeal to all printers, asking each to contribute 25 cents to aid the destitute.

At a meeting of the relief committee yesterday a resolution was adopted offering work to every unemployed person in the city, to be paid for at the rate of \$1 a day and rations. The men will be put to work clearing away the debris in the ruined district.

Gold Medal highest award to Harper whiskey at Paris, 1900; Chicago, 1893; New Orleans, 1885. Good as gold anywhere, anytime. We'd like your expert opinion. Sold by Kehoe & Cullen, Janesville, Wis.

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JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are
Reported for The Gazette.

Reported by R. E. McGuire.
Floor—Retail at 89¢ @ \$1.15 per sack.
Wheat—65¢ 70¢.
Buckwheat—(Seed) \$1.50 per 100 lbs.
Rye—52¢ per bu.
Barley—56¢ 45¢ per bu.
Corn—\$0.75 to \$1.00 per ton. Shelled, 38¢ bu.
Oats—Common to best, white, 25¢ 30¢ bu.
Clover Seed—\$10.00 to \$12.00 per ton.
Timothy Seed—\$3.50 to \$4.00 per 100 lbs.
Feed—\$10 per ton 50¢ 100 lbs.
Hran—\$17.00 per ton, 90¢ per cwt.
Middlings—85¢ per 100 lbs. \$17.00 per ton.
Meal—80¢ 100¢; \$15.00 per ton.
Hay—Timothy per ton, \$12.00 @ \$14.00; Clover \$10.00 @ \$12.00; Wild 8.00 @ \$10.00.
Straw—\$7.00 per ton.
Potatoes—35¢ bushel.
Beans—\$1.50 bushel.
Butter—best dairy, 16¢ 17¢.
Eggs—10¢ 11¢ dozen.
Poultry—Turkeys, 6¢ 7¢; chickens, 3¢ 4¢.
Wool—Washed, 30¢ 36¢; unwashed, 10¢ 16¢.
Hides—50¢ 55¢.
Fats—Quotable at 10¢ 11¢.
Cattle—\$1.00 @ \$1.50 per cwt.
Hogs—\$5.25 @ \$5.10 per cwt.
Sheep—4¢ 4½¢; lambs, 4¢ 4½¢.

Imitators have been many. Thoughtful people have learned that true merit comes only with the genuine Rocky Mountain Tea made by Madison Medicine Co. 35¢. Smith's pharmacy; kodak agents, next to postoffice.

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When Well Known Janesville
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Mr. John Stetson, of Hotel Myers day clerk, says: "A physician pronounced my trouble kidney complaint. If the severe pain across the small of my back is any indication of the said complaint, I guess I had it. For two years I suffered with attacks, some times virulent, sometimes a dull grinding ache, which robbed me of considerable energy. I used in addition to doctor's prescriptions, several preparations said to be sure cures for kidney complaint, but up until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at the People's Drug Co's drug store, I received little if any permanent relief. I took a thorough course of treatment prescribed by Doan's Kidney Pills and it cured me. Up to date I have not noticed any recurrence of my old trouble."

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Remember the name, Doan's, and take no other.

SHORT-HORNS AND OXFORD DOWNS AT AUCTION.

WE will sell at public auction on our farm in the town of Fulton, Rock County, Wis., at 10 a. m., WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 1901, and continuing until sale is completed, 100 head of high-grade Short-Horns, consisting of 20 cows, all fresh or springers; 10 two-year-old heifers with calf; 40 yearling heifers; 20 heifer calves, averaging six months old; 2 yearling bulls; 8 bull calves, three to nine months old. The grades are in fact purely bred but not eligible to record. All the young stock sired by Cornell of Oakland, Ill. and Excellence 399. They are bred on milking lines for combination purposes. Dairyman cannot get better animals. Also 18 Oxford Down Rams, one and two-year-old, sired by Imp. Twilight. C. M. & St. P. Ry. to Edgerton, 4½ miles from farm; C. M. & St. P. Ry. and C. & N. W. Ry. to Janesville, nine miles from farm. FETHERS & JEFFERS, Owners. Wm. Doulev, Auctioneer.

Notice for City Printing.

As required by resolution adopted by the Common Council May 5th, 1901.

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned city clerk of the city of Janesville, until the 10th day of May, 1901, at 12:00 o'clock noon, to print in the English language, during the ensuing year, all ordinances, notices, and city advertising required by law, or by resolution or ordinance of the common council, to be published in newspapers. Also separate proposals will be received to publish in the English language such proceedings of the common council as the council may order to be published during the year. By order of the common council. A. E. BADGER, City Clerk.

Dated May 7th, 1901.
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Announcement.
To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Cream Balm in liquid form, which will be known as Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid form embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation.

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ADDRESS DR. BREWER AND SON, 1234 CHICAGO AVE., EVANSTON, ILL.
Dr. Brewer will be at the Park, Hotel Janesville, Wednesday, May 15.
At Brodhead, Thursday, May 16.

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PAN AMERICAN EXPOSITION.

The Buffalo Exposition is now entertaining visitors and will be formally opened May 20.

This exposition, unlike the World's Fair, or Paris Exposition, is purely national in character and intensely American.

The inventive genius and scientific discoveries of recent date, will be so thoroughly well represented, that object lessons of great value will be presented.

A week at Buffalo this summer, means more as an educator than months of study and research. A visit to the exposition will inspire in every appreciative mind a feeling of natural pride and love of country that will fully compensate for all the expense incurred.

An opportunity will be given to study electricity in all its new and varied uses. Liquefied air with its discovered possibilities will be demonstrated, and all the products of American genius will be grouped for convenient investigation.

In discussing the tariff question in relation to prosperity the fact is too frequently overlooked that one of the greatest forces that contribute to national prosperity is the brain of American genius.

Wales for many generations controlled the tin plate industry of the world, and today the little country is turning out the same small sheets of tin that she did a century ago.

America is encouraged to compete and in a few short years the industry is revolutionized. One factory near Chicago employs 3000 hands, it manufactures its own plate, in sheets of 300 feet long, and starting from the raw material in one building this long ribbon of tin handled by the deft fingers of machinery, finds its way through various departments and in less than an hour the finished product is in the warehouse, represented by cans of various sizes packed and labeled for shipment.

The tariff encouraged the industry, but American genius developed it to a point where foreign competition can never touch it.

What is true of tin is true of many other industries. The Pan-American Exposition places them on exhibition, and says to the American people, "Come and see what this country is doing in the great work shop of life."

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Two Practical Jokers Killed.
Davenport, Ia., May 7.—Emil Mohr and Charles Reis were killed last evening while pretending to hang August Blunck on a pulley rope outside the Independent Mailing Company's building. Mohr, Reis and Gus Siems were teasing Blunck, and wound up by tying the rope about his waist with the avowed intention of hanging him. The strain on the rope caused the fastenings, sixty feet above, to give way. An iron pulley struck Reis on the head, crushing it into a shapeless mass. A falling scantling brained Mohr. Blunck was slightly injured.

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Fortunes have been made so rapidly, and investments have been so sure of profit, that all kinds of money is offered. Clerks, mechanics, small merchants, in fact, anybody who could scrape up a few dollars, seems to have gone crazy wild over stock speculations, until Wall street eclipses the Louisiana lottery, in its most palmy days.

This spirit of speculation is not confined to New York, but money is now pouring in from all parts of the country to such an extent as to cause uneasiness, and a good deal of alarm.

Men are like sheep in some respects, and if anything, more blind, when it comes to following venture-some leaders. Just now they are following the leadership of Morgan, Rockefeller, Hill and men of that class, forgetting the fact that the great fortunes these men have acquired, is largely the result of stock speculation, and that while they are now "bulling" the market in their own interests, that the tide is sure to turn, and that when it does these men will all be on the "bear" side, making money just as rapidly by depressing stocks, as they did in stimulating prices.

When this time comes—and it is certain to come as time is to exist—the men who get squeezed and lose every dollar they have, are the small dealers, and the danger is due to the fact that this class of speculators come from the ranks of business men, and people of moderate means, who are in no condition to lose. If a panic results it is because money for legitimate business has been diverted from regular channels, in a mad desire to get rich, in an effort to get something for nothing.

At such times, men become reckless, and as a rule, they suffer in consequence. A conservative business man never endorses a note that he does not feel able to pay, and pocket the loss if necessary, but this kind of conservatism is lost when the fever of speculation rages.

The New York banks have doubled their rates of interest, not because of a money shortage, but because they recognize the danger of the situation. It would be well for the country at large if country banks would refuse to loan money for stock speculations.

There is always a day of settlement and while money just now is very abundant, the bulk of it is liable to be in the hands of fewer people before the year closes, unless the spirit of wild speculation, that is now rampant, is checked.

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Seattle, Wash., May 7.—Particulars of the snowslide reported to have occurred at Sunrise City, Alaska, about March 20, were received today by mail. The slide did not occur at Sunrise, but at Smith's Camp, on Lynx creek, twenty-two miles above Sunrise. The dead are: Lee S. Graham of San Jose, Cal.; Fred Shackelford of Rhode Island; Dick Lane of Fresno, Cal.; Henry Willoughby. Hogan, known as "Old Man Hogan" of San Francisco. The slide came over a cliff into the camp beneath, a sheer fall of 800 feet. There were at the camp, in all, seven men. The entire seven were buried under the mass, but Frank Fleehardy and Gilbert Devoe were rescued. The others were dead when the rescuing party reached their bodies.

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MATINEE AND NIGHT.

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Chas. H. Yale and Sydney R. Ellis present the Golden Voiced-singer and German Comedian.

AL. H. WILSON,

IN THE ROMANTIC COMEDY, WRITTEN BY SYDNEY R. ELLIS.

"THE WATCH ON THE RHINE."



Seats on sale Friday, May 10. Prices: \$1, 75c, 50c, 25c. Matinee Prices: Children, 25c; Adults, 50 and 75c

Scenic Investiture of Grandeur and Beauty in Every Way in Every Scene carried complete in Comedy and pathos richly blending in Pure, innocent fun late spiced with scenes of intense interest.

Every maiden that has a sweetheart, every lover of home and mother, every mother that loves her little one, every youth that thinks he is in love, every husband and every father should hear Wilson sing "Love is All in All," "My Little Fraulien," "The Tea Kettle Song," "A Tyrolean Yodel," "A Song of Home," "When parading. Beautiful and bewitching melodies.

"That quaint, quiet, unctuous comedian with the wondrous golden voice—Al. H. Wilson made his first bow as a star in this city in 'The Watch on the Rhine.' Both play and player were generously received, and deserved so—for both made a great big hit."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

"No new star scored so distinctive a hit as did Al. H. Wilson. Before the play had progressed very far he was received literally with open arms by the audience. His singing was captivating; several of his songs are destined to become very popular."—Chicago American.

Theatre parties now forming. Lovers of a grand play, good singing and fine scenery, living in Edgerton, Evansville, Milton, Milton Junction, Monroe, Brodhead, Beloit, Sharon, Shopiere and Clinton phone for particulars.

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PETER L. MYERS, MANAGER.

Thursday Eve., May 9.

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The Jolliest Kind of Jollity! The Most Phenomenal Financial and Artistic Record Breaker on Tour.

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An Up-To-Date Musical Comedy by Frank Pixley and Gustav Luders.

(150 TIMES IN CHICAGO.)

With Beauty! Song! 80 Eminent Artists! Suce Girls—Such Music—Such Fun—Such Laughter. It's Great! The Best Ever! You'll Have To Hurry!

Sale opens Tuesday, at 9 a. m. PRICES—First four rows orchestra circle, \$1.00; balcony, 75c and 50c; Gallery, 25c. Carriages at 11 o'clock. COMING: Al. H. Wilson, Saturday, May 11.

Gas Companies Will Unite.

Cincinnati, O., May 7.—The fierce fight between the great lighting companies of Cincinnati has been ended by the ratification by the stockholders of the Cincinnati Gas Light and Coke Company of the plan proposed for a consolidation of all the companies. This provides that the stock of the gas company shall be increased to \$28,000,000 and that it shall absorb the electric companies and change its name to the Cincinnati Gas and Electric company.

Ransack Henderson's Office.
Washington, May 7.—Speaker Henderson's private office at the capitol was forcibly entered by some one who evidently was intent on obtaining certain papers or documents. The room of the committee on ways and means, which is on the same floor with the speaker's office, was also broken into and papers and documents ransacked and disarranged. No papers of importance have been missed from either room.

Costly Fire in Lowell, Mass.
Lowell, Mass., May 7.—The plant of the Fidelity Tool company, on Marginal street, was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$250,000 exclusive of that on orders which it will be necessary to cancel. The shop, which was devoted to the manufacture of iron working machinery and lathes, was running to its full capacity, 100 men being employed.

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DAILY MARKET REPORT.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close.

May 72 3/4 72 3/4 71 3/4 72

July 72 3/4 72 3/4 71 3/4 72 3/4

Sept. 71 3/4 71 3/4 71 3/4 71 3/4

Corn—

May 51 3/4 51 3/4 50 51

July 46 3/4 46 3/4 45 3/4 46 3/4

Sept. 45 3/4 45 3/4 45 3/4 45 3/4

Oats—

May 28 28 28 28 1/2

July 26 26 26 26 1/2

Sept. 25 25 24 24 1/2

Pork—

May 14.8

BED OF STREET MUD SAVED HIS LIFE

EUGENE BROTHERTON THROWN FROM A RUNAWAY RIG.

Flung as From a Catapult Out of His Buggy—Secures His Horses With- out Serious Injury or Damage, and After Dinner He Had a Second Tumble from His Rig.

Eugene Brotherton of Johnstown Center had a narrow escape from serious injuries and probably from death in a runaway accident this morning. About 10:30 o'clock while he was driving down Milwaukee street in a light road wagon the whiffle tree dropped down, frightening his team of horses.

The frightened horses ran wildly down the hill and seeing that all effort to stop them was useless, Mr. Brotherton turned them south on Bluff street in order to avoid accidents which would probably follow if the runaway went through the business portion of the city.

Mr. Brotherton was unable to control the horses quickly enough to make a long turn and as they rounded the corner the wagon was overturned throwing Mr. Brotherton out forcibly. He landed face downward in the soft mud of the gutter and the wagon was dragged over on top of him. The horses breaking loose and running of their own accord to Dr. E. D. Robert's barn where they were secured and taken care of.

Had Mr. Brotherton been thrown a foot or two farther and landed on the curbing he would doubtless have been killed. The bed of mud into which he fell made it possible for him to escape uninjured, although he was a sorry enough looking sight as he came out from under the overturned wagon with face and clothing plastered with mud. The damage to the wagon was comparatively small and Mr. Brotherton may well congratulate himself on his fortunate escape.

Had a Second Experience.

Shortly after one o'clock this afternoon Mr. Brotherton had a second experience almost identical to that of this morning. He stopped at the Park Hotel and shortly after dinner hitched up his team and started to drive down town. At Con McDonald's restaurant, by the side of which this morning's accident occurred, the horses again started to run and ran down Milwaukee street towards Main. Just in front of L. L. Leflingwell's saloon they turned abruptly and made straight for the sidewalk.

The front wheels of the wagon wheels truck the curb and for the second time today Mr. Brotherton was thrown forcibly into the gutter. This time his clothes were torn and he was scratched and bruised but he escaped serious injury. Not so with the wagon which was badly wrecked by its sudden encounter with the curb.

The horses were caught and taken back to the barn.

Fighters Up the River.

The sparring exhibition up the river between two celebrated (?) Chicago fighters, "Mysterious" Cal. Harris and Dick Green, was an exceedingly tame affair. Neither of them hit hard enough to disturb a wrinkle on his opponent's mug, and at the end of the tenth round it was declared a draw. Green then put on the mits with George Hiller, a local aspirant for pugilistic honors. It was to be a five round go. In the third round Green landed a left swing on Hiller's jaw which sent him down and out. Several of the crowd were not satisfied with letting the pugs do the fighting and indulged in several slugging matches among themselves. As a result several young men have decorated faces.

Orchestra and Hall Free.

For this month only Paul Gehrke will give the rent of the Crystal Springs hall as well as the services of the Chicago colored orchestra free of charge to any who desire to give public or private parties. The boat trip will cost but 25 cents each for round trip. This offer is a most generous one. A new hardwood floor has been placed in the hall and several other improvements made.

Summer Wash Goods.

Almost every day new things are being received in wash summer goods. Our stock is constantly changing on account of the large sale we are having. No matter how often one comes, in always to be seen late creations. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

The State Bank of Orfordville, Wis., is responsible and asks a careful scrutiny as to its promoters. Is recommended by four governors and many banks. Pays four per cent. on six months and 5 per cent. on 12 months time deposits.

Suits to Suit.

Everybody suited here—with by far the largest collection of Ladies' and misses' man-tailored suits to be found in a radius of seventy miles around and bought by people who are well posted. It is very easy to be fitted out here.

J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

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NEWS OF THE DAY IN TOWN

Wall paper sale at Skelly's.

Jumbo bananas. Fletcher.

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Home grown grass, 8c. Grubb.

Florida pineapples, 10c. Grubb.

Fancy new celery. Grubb.

Fancy wax beans, 15c. Grubb.

Strawberries and cream. Fletcher's.

Home grown asparagus. Fletcher's.

Full line of Heinz's pickles in bulk. Fletcher's.

J. A. Craig leaves today for Chicago on business.

Home made bread, cookies, doughnuts. Fletcher's.

Do you buy children's shoes? Then read our ad on page 8. Amos Rehberg & Co.

Corsets for hot weather wear at 25, 47 and 97c. All length of waists. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Among the patents granted to Wisconsin inventors recently is one for a sulky plow to H. H. Sater of this city.

Our 25c. corset is the best low priced article we have ever offered, well made strong and durable. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Summer corsets, just the kind you want. There are plenty of them as low as 25c. in price. See our large ad. Bort, Bailey & Co.

There will be a regular meeting of the Eastern Star tomorrow evening at eight o'clock at Masonic hall. The meeting will be followed by a social.

The healthiest stock of geraniums and bedding plants in town at the Linn Street greenhouse.

Paul McHenry, a former resident of this city, is among those who are winning honors in the Philippines.

James A. Kipp has moved his family from South Dakota to this city and will build a new residence near George Hanthorn's home on Vine street.

T. P. Burns is offering one case of short length sermons worth from 10 to 12½c per yard, this week only, at 2½c per yard. See Large ad.

Joe Mahoney has arrived in the city, and will assist Prof. Smith's orchestra this evening at the May party to be given by the Degree of Honor A. O. U. W. at Assembly hall.

Beefsteak tomato plants, 18c doz.

Pint box strawberries, 8c.

Quart box strawberries, 14c.

Dedrick Bros.

New line of window shades, all sizes, wood and brass curtain poles and room moulding at the lowest prices. Skelly's.

H. B. Kenniston, who has been very ill for several months, is failing steadily and quite rapidly. He is almost helpless and requires attention day and night.

A complete line of boys' wash blouse suits, ages 3 to 8 in pretty patterns on sale Wednesday morning at 69c a suit while they last. Amos Rehberg & Co.

The funeral of Mrs. Diana E. Bancroft was held from the residence in the town of Harmony at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Services were conducted by the Rev. Woodside.

The sale of seats for the famous musical comedy, "The Burgomaster," commenced at the box office at the Myers Grand this morning at 9 o'clock. "The Burgomaster" promises to surpass the former engagement here.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church society will meet Wednesday, May 8, at three o'clock in the church parlors. Members and friends please remember the change of date of meeting. A welcome for all to our meeting.

Jack Atkinson attempted to get into the steamboat last night after it had left the dock for a trip up the river. The boat was about five feet away when Atkinson arrived; he jumped for the boat, and landed in the river, sinking twice, but was rescued and dragged back onto the dock in a soaked condition.

The Janesville Street railway company has a large force engaged in bonding their tracks and putting in a metallic return service in accordance with an ordinance passed on January 7. After this work is completed there will be no danger of electrolysis.

Come and take advantage on our low prices on new style wall paper. Choice papers in the market. Endless variety in all the rich colorings—fancy floral stripe, tapestry and pressed paper, handsomest designs of the season at the lowest prices. Skelly's book store.

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The W. C. T. U. will meet in the Congregational church this week on Thursday afternoon at three o'clock sharp. A mistake was made in the church calendars. They should have read Thursday instead of Tuesday. The president desires to have to have every member present as very important business is to be transacted in relation to the coming Wisconsin State convention to be held in our city the 21st to the 23rd of this month.

A. F. Spooner has been suffering from a mastic abscess on the head just behind the left ear for four weeks. The abscess has been very stubborn in resisting medical treatment, and has not only been very painful, but the danger of serious results from it has been great. Today for the first time the attending physician was able to see improvement in its condition, and Mr. Spooner is hopeful that his time of torture will be over before long.

Pawnee Bill's Wild West show will come to Janesville the twenty-eighth of this month.

Frank L. Stevens and W. T. Vankirk left at 12:45 today for the northern part of the state on a business trip.

PRETTY HOME WEDDING

Miss Ethel Hindes and E. Ray Lloyd

Married Last Evening at the

Home of Bride's Parents.

A pretty home wedding was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Hindes, 162 Prairie avenue last evening. The bride was their eldest daughter, Miss Ethel Clive Hindes, while the happy groom was E. Ray Lloyd. Their license was secured yesterday but a special order to wed from the court did away with the necessity of waiting the five days required by the law.

Only immediate relatives of the family were witnesses to the ceremony which was solemnized by the Rev. J. T. Henderson, pastor of the Presbyterian church at eight o'clock. The bride attendants were Miss Daisy Hilton and Robert Beecham Kanouse and the parlor in which the marriage vows were exchanged were handsomely decorated with choice cut flowers, lilies and carnations being predominant. The bride was handsomely attired in a becoming gown of blue silk with lace bolero and trimmings.

After the ceremony the newly married couple received the sincere congratulations of those present and then the wedding party enjoyed the elaborate supper which was very prettily served.

Both bride and groom are well known young people, the bride being a charming young lady whose bright cheerful disposition and accomplishments win friends for her whenever she is known. The groom is the son of Mrs. Emmaline M. Lloyd and is the proprietor of a blacksmith shop on East Milwaukee street. He is an athlete of more than local reputation and is a young man of enterprise and sterling worth. He and his bride will make their home with his mother at 107 East Milwaukee street.

NEW POSTMASTER

FOR EDGERTON

Racine, Wis., May 7.—In an interview with the Hon. H. A. Cooper this morning, the representative stated that Postmaster McGiffin of Edgerton, Wis., whose term in office had nearly expired, has tendered his resignation on account of a change in residence, which is to be Janesville, Wis. Therefore he is not a candidate for re-appointment. Mr. Cooper has recommended Lawrence D. Whitet as his successor.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS.

James Smith formerly of White-water but now of Milton, where he has gone into the hotel business, was in the city this morning.

A South River street business man has joined the forces at the Mary Kimball Mission.

A marriage license was issued today to Ole Salm of Clinton and Dorothy Goodell of Janesville.

The directors of the Janesville cotton mills held a business meeting last night.

Smith's orchestra will furnish the music for the May party to be given by the Young People's Club at East Side Odd Fellow's hall, Thursday evening, May 9th.

A wrecked gravel train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road delayed the passenger trains between Janesville and Rockford two hours this morning.

Thomas Nolan, the accommodating baggage man of the Northwestern station left last night for Seattle, Wash., to visit his daughter. His wife accompanied him.

George Truman of Albany called on friends in the city today.

J. G. Monahan of Darlington was in the city today on his way to Madison.

Mrs. George E. Tanberg left for La Crosse today to attend the annual session of the Grand Lodge, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W. of Wisconsin, which will convene in that city on the 8th. Mrs. Tanberg holds an office in the grand lodge.

Henry Doldrich, A. S. Lewis and H. J. Jungert, members of the city council of Monticello, Wis., arrived in the city yesterday and spent some time inspecting the streets of the city which had been improved by macadamizing.

That

20 Per Cent.

Reduction Sale on Pianos is still in force at our store. You are invited to come in and see for yourself.

S. C. BURNHAM & CO.

Hayes Block.

Neckwear

FOR THE LADIES.

Latest Effects.

All the newest ties in the different shades. New stock. Prices most reasonable.

A. E. & A. T. SCHMIDLEY

21 West Milwaukee St.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Henry Garbutt is home from Beloit.

C. M. Smith of Brodhead was a business caller yesterday.

H. E. House of Beloit, was in the city over night.

George E. Gray of Madison, was here yesterday on business.

I. U. Fisher and Elmer Bullard of Evansville are in the city today.

E. M. Hubbell of Edgerton called on acquaintances in this city today.

Charles Reynolds is home from a three days' business trip to Chicago.

George May of Watertown, attended to business matters in this city yesterday.

Mrs. C. P. McLean has been seriously sick at her home on Court street.

J. C. Roon, Beloit's city attorney, transacted legal business in this city today.

Robert Lilburn and wife, of Emerald Grove called on friends in this city today.

George M. Underhill of Edgerton looked over the tobacco warehouses yesterday.

Mrs. H. S. McGiffin and daughter of Edgerton visited friends in this city yesterday.

Mrs. M. Tenney of Honolulu, S. I., is confined to her bed at the Grand Hotel with an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Smith, mother of E. J. Smith, is confined to her home, 352 South Main street, by illness.

E. B. Connors has sold out his liquor business on West Milwaukee street to his brother, James B. Connors.

James R. Finley was given a judgment yesterday in Justice Earl's court against Fred Holzapfel for \$22.99 and costs.

J. L. Fulton Grand Patriarch of the Grand Encampment of the Wisconsin I. O. O. F., was in the city today.

Miss Mabel Jackman leaves Thursday morning for Chicago. After a week or ten days' visit in that city she will go on to Buffalo, where she expects to spend the summer.

James Selkirk went to Chicago this morning to meet his mother who will arrive in that city this afternoon. It is her first visit to this country and the first time that Mr. Selkirk has seen her in twenty years.

J. L. Green of Reading, Pa., a member of the firm of J. L. and M. F. Green, leaf tobacco packers of this city, is here attending to business matters.

Assemblyman A. Clark Dodge of Green county, Everett E. Dow of Walworth county and Philip G. Duerrwaechter of Washington county were in the city yesterday on their way to Madison. Assemblyman Dodge was at one time a resident of this city and is well acquainted with many of the old settlers.

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ENCOURAGEMENT TO ATHLETIC SPORTS

Rev. R. C. Denison Has Offered Two

Medals for Competition by Mem-

bers of Track Team.

To encourage athletic sport at the high school the Rev. R. C. Denison has offered two medals for competition by members of the track team. One is for the best long hammer throw and the other is for the best one hundred yard dash. The winners of the medals will be determined at a local meet to be held in the near future and some time before the state meet. It will be independent of the interscholastic meets which are to be held.

Rev. Denison has always taken an active interest in athletic sports in the school. For several years he stimulated interest in the base ball team by giving a medal for the best batting record.

The school track team is to go to Whitewater next Saturday to participate in a meet between teams from the high schools at Whitewater, Palmyra, Fort Atkinson, Milton Junction, Delavan, Elkhorn, Lake Geneva, Edgerton and Janesville. Claud Holloway is captain of a team and Frank Kent manager. The other members are Leon Ayers, Channing Kent, Thomas Casey, Edward Barron, Herbert Goldin, Ross Bump, William Ryan, Matthew Rothery, Arthur Ryan, Percy Merrill and Richard Griffiths.

Ogden H. Fethers On a Trip.

Ogden H. Fethers left this morning for Michigan and from there he will go to California on business connected with the Knights of Pythias lodges. His private office, which is devoted to the work of his position as supreme chancellor of the Pythian lodges, will be closed during his absence. Mr. Fethers expects to be gone about six weeks.

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Business of the World—Real Meaning
of This Mammoth Movement.

Waltham, Mass., May 7.—The next great trust announced from the house of J. Pierpont Morgan & Co. will probably be the American Watch company, or a combine with some similar name. Definite steps toward the formation of a watch-making trust have already been taken. Three weeks ago the factory of the United States Watch company in Waltham was purchased by parties now known to have been acting in behalf of the organizers of the trust, and today it was learned that the other plants and factories to be absorbed include the following: American Waltham Watch company of Waltham; Elgin Watch company of Elgin, Ill.; American Watch Tool company of Waltham; O'Hara Dial company of Waltham, and some others not yet named.

Owens Many Plants.
The syndicate already owns the original Philadelphia Watch Case company of Philadelphia, N. J.; the Standard Watch Case company of Jersey City, N. J.; the Keystone Watch Case company of Philadelphia; the J. Muhr & Brother company, and the Bates & Bacon Watch Case company of Attleboro, Mass. Besides negotiations are now going on for the purchase of the Rockford Watch factory at Rockford, Ill. The capital stock of the combine, which will be furnished by J. P. Morgan & Co., will be, it is stated, \$75,000,000. T. Surbrugg, representing the Morgan interests, has been in Waltham in consultation with President Fitch and Royal Robbins, with a view to purchasing the American Waltham Watch factory. Options have been taken on the O'Hara Dial factory and the American Watch Tool factory. As to the values of the property in question, it is not probable that the American Watch factory would be sold for less than \$20,000,000; the O'Hara Dial factory for \$20,000,000 and the American Watch Tool factory for less than \$75,000,000.

Will Compete with Switzerland.
The real meaning of this mammoth movement is that the syndicate is going to challenge Switzerland for the world's trade in watches. The deal has been under way for some months, but has only just come to light. President Fitch of the American Waltham company went to New York to confer with the organizers of the trust.

Elgin Officials Silent.
Elgin, Ill., May 7.—The Elgin officials of the watch company have nothing to say regarding reports of the company going into a trust with the Waltham company.

For stiff neck there is nothing better than a free application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It quickly relieves the stiffness and soreness, effecting a complete cure. For sale by Peoples' Drug Store and King's Pharmacy.

Girl Disappears on a Journey.
Metropolis, Ill., May 7.—Miss Ada Robinson, 15 years old, who left here a week ago to visit relatives in Pittsburg, Kan., has not reached Pittsburg and her whereabouts are unknown.

Five-year-old girl lost on the prairies of Washington was found dead of starvation in a badger hole, having wandered without food or water five days and nights.



is very much like the blossoming of a flower. Its beauty and perfection depends entirely upon the care bestowed upon its parent. Expectant mothers should have the tenderest care. They should be spared all worry and anxiety. They should eat plenty of good nourishing food and take gentle exercises. This will go a long way toward preserving their health and their beauty as well as that of the little one to come. But to be absolutely sure of a short and painless labor they should use

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SPARKS FROM THE WIRE.

Scientist Falls a Victim.
San Francisco, May 7.—Dr. Joseph Eisen, the California scientist whose discovery of the cancer germ was a notable event in the medical history of last year, has been attacked by cancer. He has submitted to an operation at St. Luke's hospital, and the surgeons state that he is rapidly recovering, although nothing can as yet be determined about the final result. Dr. Eisen believes that he became inoculated with the cancer microbe while studying the germs through the microscope.

Sultan Kills a Physician.
London, May 7.—"It is rumored," says the Constantinople correspondent of the Daily Express, "that the sultan shot dead a physician who, while attending him for ear complaint and massaging him, unwittingly caused his majesty intense pain. The chamberlain rushed into the room and the sultan, who supposed there was an attempt on his life, fired again, wounding the chamberlain."

Hill Denies Railway Rumor.
New York, May 7.—James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern railroad, denies the report that a plan was formed three years ago by J. Pierpont Morgan, the Goulds, the Vanderbilts and himself for the consolidation of the great railway systems of the country and that it is about to be carried out. Mr. Hill, who is at a hotel here said: "The story is ridiculous and entirely unworthy of any serious attention from any one."

Easter Eggs Poison Three.
Evansville, Ind., May 7.—Three children, Dennis, Katie and Mary Reiter, aged seven, four and two respectively, ate eggs Saturday morning that had been cooked on Easter, and are dying. The physician says that cannot live. The dye used in coloring the eggs was poisonous.

Discover Tuberculosis Cure.
Rio Janeiro, Brazil, May 7.—Dr. Las Casas of this city, says he has discovered a cure for tuberculosis by injecting patients with a vegetable extract. He intends to present a report on the alleged cure to the University of Berlin.

Mrs. Dewey Is Recovering.
Washington, May 7.—The condition of Mrs. Dewey, wife of the Admiral, who is suffering from a complication of tonsillitis and erysipelas, is reported by her physician, Dr. Hyatt, to be improving.

To Christen the Truxton.
Washington, May 7.—Miss Isabella Truxton of Norfolk, Va., has been invited to christen the torpedo boat destroyer Truxton, which has been named after her ancestor, Admiral Truxton.

Call for Bank Statements.
Washington, D. C., May 7.—The comptroller of the currency has issued a call for statements of the condition of national banks throughout the country at the close of business on April 24.

British Losses in Africa.
London, May 7.—The war office today officially gives out the total number of deaths in the South African war at 714 officers and 14,264 men. Four officers and 314 men have been invalided home and subsequently died. Two thousand four hundred and ninety-three non-commissioned officers and men have left the service unfit for duty.

BASEBALL GAMES.

American League.

At Milwaukee—	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	3
Chicago	0	2	1	0	1	0	2	0	3
At St. Louis—									
Detroit	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	3
Cleveland	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
At Washington—									
Washington	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Boston	2	4	0	1	0	2	0	0	0
At Philadelphia—									
Baltimore	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	0	5
Philadelphia	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	5

National League.

At Chicago—									
Rain									
At Cincinnati—									
Cincinnati	0	1	1	5	1	0	0	0	8
St. Louis	3	0	1	0	1	4	0	0	13
At Boston—									
Boston	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
Brooklyn	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
At New York—									
New York	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

American League.

	Played	Won	Lost	Per. Ct.
Detroit	12	9	3	.750
Chicago	12	8	4	.667
Baltimore	9	5	4	.556
Washington	9	5	4	.556
Boston	9	4	5	.444
Philadelphia	9	4	5	.444
Cleveland	12	4	8	.333
Milwaukee	12	3	9	.250

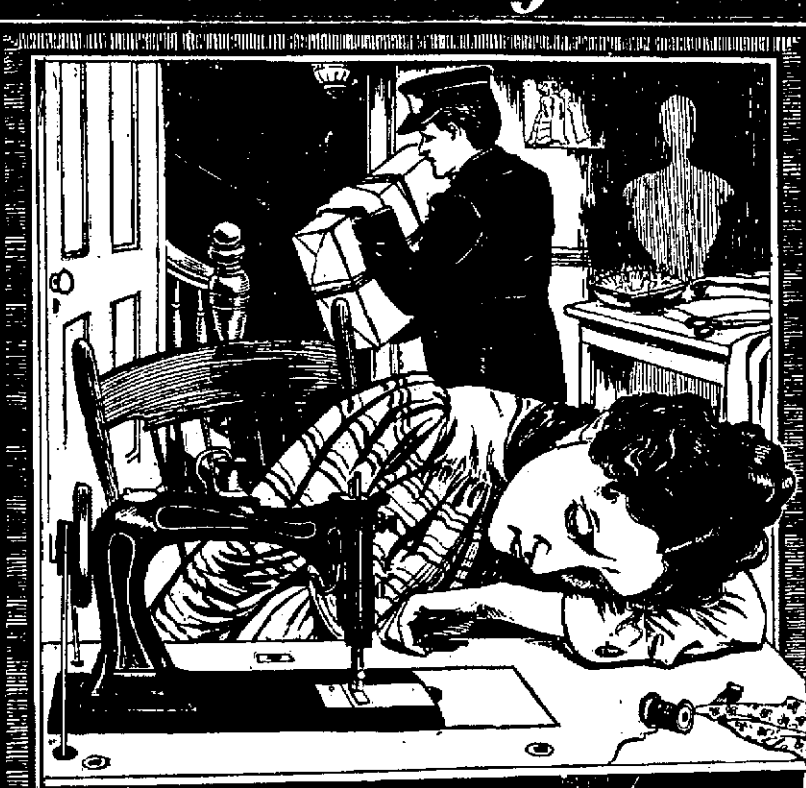
National League.

	Played	Won	Lost	Per. Ct.
Cincinnati	11	7	4	.636
Boston	9	5	4	.556
St. Louis	11	6	5	.545
Pittsburg	11	6	5	.545
St. Louis	12	6	6	.500
Philadelphia	12	6	6	.500
New York	9	4	5	.444
Chicago	14	5	9	.357

Big Comet Seen in Peru.
Lima, Peru, May 7.—The bright comet which has been seen here for several nights is still visible and is the subject of much discussion among the naval astronomers and those at the observatory. The former are of the opinion that it is Vice's comet and the latter that it is Encke's or Brorsen's.

Threw Children Into Bay.
Petoskey, Mich., May 7.—Mrs. William A. Martin, wife of the Pere Marquette agent here, threw her two children and herself into the bay, after a family quarrel. All three were rescued by fishermen, but the youngest child, aged 4 years, will die from exposure and shock.

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Mrs. Sarah Swoder, 103 West St., La Porte, Ind., writes: "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—It gives me great pleasure to tell you how much good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I had been a sufferer for years with female trouble. I could not sew but a few minutes at a time without suffering terribly with my head. My back and kidneys also troubled me all the time. I was advised by a friend to take your medicine. I had no faith in it, but decided to try it. After taking one bottle I felt so much better that I continued its use, and by the time I had taken six bottles I was cured. There is no other medicine for me. I recommend it to all my friends."

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